

**August 17, 2007**  
**U.S. 101 Widening Project, Santa Rosa**



**Widening Work, Traffic Impacts, Openings, and Closures**

- Crews are building soundwalls and retaining walls along the southbound side of the freeway. Some nighttime ramp closures are necessary during this construction.
- Farmers Lane is a Caltrans staging area. There are currently no active plans to extend eastbound S.R. 12.

**Santa Rosa Creek and Fourth Street Viaduct**

- Bridge building over Santa Rosa Creek continues with stem and soffit, rebar, and form work on the southbound bridge and backfill, falsework, and soffit work on the northbound bridge.
- The Greenway is closed through October 2007 for bridge construction.
- On the viaduct, the closure wall concrete is curing.
- Fourth Street remains closed as crews continue to resolve utility issues.

**Sixth and Ninth Streets**

- Shoring and excavation continue at Sixth Street. Access will be limited on Sixth Street near the freeway.
- At Ninth Street crews will work on drainage, remove falsework, and prepare to pour the closure walls.
  - Ninth Street remains open to bicycle and pedestrian traffic.

**College Avenue and Steele Lane**

- College Avenue bridge work continues at abutment one backwalls.
- Crews will demolish a College Avenue bridge in September. This bridge is the final College Avenue bridge to be demolished as part of the widening project.
- Crews continue with accelerated bridge work at Steele Lane.
- The week's work includes soffit, falsework, and abutment construction.

**Other**

- Demolition work at the Railroad Overhead and Olive Avenue has been postponed.
- Throughout the life of the project, either lane in both the northbound and/or southbound direction of U.S. 101 will temporarily close as needed, from 10:00pm to 5:00am between State Route 12 and Steele Lane.